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## Banks.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$7,500,000. Reserve Fund, \$3,900,000. Reserve Liability of Prop., \$7,500,000. PRINCIPALS, \$7,500,000.

CHIEF OF DIRECTORS.  
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INTEREST ALLOWED.  
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.  
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For 3 months, 4 per cent. per annum.  
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T. JACKSON, General Manager.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 393

## NOTICE.

### RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 4; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2500 in any one year.
- Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank is directed to the Hongkong Savings Bank, which is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 754

## Notices of Firms.

### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned begs to notify that he has this day RESUMED CHARGE of the Corporation.  
By Order of the Court of Directors,  
T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1678

## NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr. A. MACKEY-MONT to Sign the Name of our Firm for Procurement from this date.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1679

## NOW READY.

THE COMMERCIAL LAW AFFORDING CHINESE, with special reference to PARTNERSHIP, REGISTRATION, AND BANKRUPTCY LAWS IN HONGKONG.  
Copies may be had at the China Mail Office, and at Messrs. LAY, CRAWFORD & Co., Price, 75 cents.

## Prospectus.

### THE RAWANG TIN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

INCORPORATED UNDER THE "INDIAN COMPANIES" ACT 1859, WHEREBY THE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS IS LIMITED.

CAPITAL, £125,000.  
Divided into 250 Shares of £500 each.  
Payable as follows:  
\$2 on application; \$4 on allotment; \$2 on 1st December, 1887; \$2 on 1st February, 1888. No further Calls to be made without a Notice of one month, and each Call not to exceed \$24 per Share.

Directors:  
JAMES GUTHRIE DAVIDSON, Esq., (Advocate and Solicitor), Singapore, Chairman.  
THEODORE SOHST, Esq., (Merchant), Singapore.  
THOMAS SCOTT THOMSON, Esq., (Merchant), Singapore.  
CUMBERLEGE CHARLES NORTHEY, Esq., (Merchant), Singapore.  
LEE KENG YONG, Esq., (Merchant), Singapore.  
YAP KWAN SENG, Esq., of Kuala Lumpur, Selangor, owner of the "Padu," "Simpah," "Panaipah" and "Sung-hai Krpan," Tin Mines, Selangor.

Bankers:  
MESSRS. ROYK & DAVIDSON, Singapore.  
Solicitors:  
ALEXANDER JAMES GUNN, Esq., Accountant, Singapore.

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MESSRS. W. R. SCOTT & Co., Merchants, Singapore.

Offices:  
No. 5, COLLYER QUAY, Singapore.

THE SUBSCRIPTION LIST will be CLOSED on the Morning of SATURDAY, 1st October next. Applications for Shares may be sent to the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA, Singapore. Copies of Prospectus and Form of Application can be obtained from the Bank's Branch in Hongkong, 1st September, 1887. 1639

## Intimations.

### FRENCH LESSONS.

M. SCHAEFFLIN is Prepared to give FRENCH LESSONS.  
For Terms, apply by letter or personally to  
65, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1887. 1695

### THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY General MEETING will be held at the Company's Office, Praya, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 12th September, 1887, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon, when the Special Resolution passed at the Extraordinary Meeting held on 10th day will be submitted for Confirmation.  
RUSSELL & Co., General Managers.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1887. 1624

### CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.  
NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.  
VOLUMES OF CELESTIAL, PHYSICAL AND METEOROLOGICAL CHARTS, ADMIRALTY & LARAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.  
English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware, Christofle & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.  
DIAMONDS  
DIAMOND JEWELLERY.  
A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

## NOTICE.

### HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.  
In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.  
D. GILLIES, Secretary.  
Hongkong, August 28, 1885. 1483

## WANTED.

AN EUROPEAN WOMAN, to take charge of Three Children, 8, 6 and 4 years of age.  
Apply to "A. B. C." care of China Mail Office.  
Hongkong, August 1, 1887. 1439

## NOW PUBLISHED.

BUDDHISM: ITS HISTORICAL, THEORETICAL AND POPULAR ASPECTS.  
BY ERNEST J. EITEL, Ph.D., Tutor.  
THIRD EDITION, REVISED, WITH ADDITIONS.  
Price, \$1.50.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, August 20, 1884. 1934

## Business Notices.

### Autumn 1887. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO'S Tailoring Department.

RESPECTFULLY BEG TO DRAW THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC OF HONGKONG TO THEIR NEW GOODS FOR THE AUTUMN AND WINTER, which have just been received: comprising—

ANGOLAS. FANCY CHEVIOTS. CASHMERE. HOMESPUNS. TWEEDS. SAXONYS. SPECIALITY—FINE TWILLED CASHMERE and SUPERFINE BROADCLOTHS for EVENING DRESS. OVERCATCHINGS, VESTERS, and a variety of MATERIALS for BREECHES and RIDING TROUSERS.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, August 26, 1887. 1636

### Victoria Hotel,

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c. has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. THE HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms. THE HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.  
Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.  
Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

### STAG HOTEL,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.  
J. COOK, Proprietor.

THE HOTEL IS CENTRALLY SITUATED AND WITHIN A FEW MINUTES' WALK FROM THE PRINCIPAL LANDING PLACES.  
GOOD ACCOMMODATION FOR VISITORS.  
Tiffin at 1 o'clock. DINNER at 7 o'clock.

WELL VENTILATED BILLIARD ROOM.  
Tiffin 50 CENTS. DINNER 75 CENTS.  
WINE, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY ONLY.  
Hongkong, April 1, 1887. 607

### W. POWELL & Co.

DR. JAEGER'S SANITARY WOOLLEN SYSTEM.  
WE HAVE RECEIVED A FULL SET OF SAMPLES OF MATERIALS FOR LADIES', CHILDREN'S AND GENTLEMEN'S CLOTHING AND UNDERCLOTHING, of every description, and are prepared to take Orders on Commission. Terms and Particulars on application.  
W. POWELL & Co.  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, August 10, 1887. (T. E. L. B. P. H. O. A. B. 21.) 1676

### ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters.  
QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

## NEW GOODS

JUST OPENED:  
BROWN FELT HATS.  
CALCUTTA PITH HATS.  
NEW COLLARS AND SHIRTS.  
VERY THIN WATERPROOF COATS (Suit in Case).  
Hongkong, September 3, 1887. 1601

## Intimations.

### DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.  
MODERATE FEES.  
MR. WONG TAI-FONG, Surgeon Dentist, (FORMERLY ATTENDED APPRENTICE AND LATELY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)  
At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS, No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.  
Discount to missionaries and families. Sole Address:  
2, DUDDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)  
Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 88

### CHINA MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1886.

INTEREST due and DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be Payable at the Offices of the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION and after the 1st day of September, 1887. Lists of DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.  
JOHN WALTER, Acting Chief Manager.  
31st August, 1887. 1682

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG BRICK AND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Office, No. 5, QUEEN'S ROAD.  
FIRE BRICKS OF SUPERIOR QUALITY FOR SALE.  
PRICE, \$30 PER 1,000.

The following Testimonial has been received from F. W. CROSS, Esq., Manager, HONGKONG and CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED:  
"I have herewith much pleasure in testifying to the quality of the Fire Bricks as made by you at your new works."

"In appearance the Brick is light and soft as compared with the ordinary Fire Brick used in the Colony, but this I may say is characteristic of the best English Fire Brick."

"After a very severe test I have no hesitation in saying that this Brick is admirably suited to resist any degree of heat that it may be likely to undergo and for all purposes that Fire Bricks are used for."

"I am now about to build them into one of my Furnaces and have no doubt of their being able to stand as well as the English Fire Bricks I have been using."

Hongkong, May 23, 1887. 631

## NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are Sole Agents for Hongkong and Manilla for the Sale of THE MONTERRAT LIME JUICE, AND THE MONTERRAT LIME JUICE CORDIAL.  
A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.  
Hongkong, May 3, 1887. 964

## To Let.

TO BE LET.  
With Immediate Possession.

SUITE of ROOMS fronting the Praya, situated in Police's Street upon the Ground Floor of Building recently occupied by Messrs. MATHESON & Co.  
These Premises are well adapted for OFFICES or STORES.  
BISNES VILLA, Kowloon.  
Apply to SHARP & Co., Estate Agents, Marine House, Hongkong, August 1, 1887. 1443

TO LET.  
ROOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS'.  
Apply to DAVID SASSON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, May 25, 1887. 504

TO BE LET.  
A VERY COMFORTABLE FURNISHED HOUSE, Commanding extensive Sea View, and very Cool in Summer.  
Apply at THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, Hongkong, June 16, 1887. 868

TO LET.  
(With Early Possession.)  
THE DESIRABLE RESIDENCE 'GREEN MOUNT', Situated on the BONHAM ROAD.  
Apply to GILMAN & Co., Hongkong, March 17, 1887. 488

## For Sale.

FOR SALE.  
JULIUS MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.  
Quarts, £20 per Case of 1 doz. Bouteilles.  
Dubes Fines & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES.  
Baxter's Celebrated 'Barley Bros.' WHISKY, — \$75 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

## Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP SAGHALIEN.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.  
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, ex Steamship Tarnie, and Antwerp ex Steamship Potaro, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of OILS, TEAS, and Valuable—being landed and stored in their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon (Tuesday, Thursday), the last instant, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.  
Goods remaining unclaimed after Wednesday, the 7th Sept., 1887, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per item. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before SATURDAY, the 10th September, 1887, or they will not be recognised.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1697

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.  
THE S.S. Hesperia, Capt. CHRISTIANSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon (To-day), the 1st instant.  
Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Free and General Co. and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th Inst. will be subject to rent.  
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 7th Inst. at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
SIEMSEN & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1698

## NOTICE.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINE.  
STEAMSHIP PORT AUGUSTA, FROM VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.  
Optional Cargo will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 9th Instant will be subject to rent at the rate of one cent per package per day.  
All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 9th Instant, or they will not be recognised.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1887. 1694

## NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.  
The Co.'s Steamship "Hesperia", Capt. W. VON SCHUBERT, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to MELOUERS & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1887. 1694

## NOTICE.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.  
STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI AND TRIESTE.  
(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK SEA, LEBANON and ADRIATIC PORTS.)  
The Co.'s Steamship "Imperator", Capt. C. BECKENHOFER, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 10th Inst. at Noon.  
For further Particulars, regarding Freight and Passage, apply to the AGENT of the Company, Praya Central.  
O. BACHRACH, Agent.  
Hongkong, August 28, 1887. 1651

## Notices to Consignees.

NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FROM SOERABAYA, SAMARANG, BATAVIA, SINGAPORE AND SAIGON.  
THE Company's S.S. Deenhurst, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN CO., Ltd., at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.  
Cargo remaining undelivered after the 6th September will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 30, 1887. 1655

## Shipping.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.  
The Co.'s Steamship "Hesperia", Capt. HARRIS, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th Instant, at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LA PRAY & Co., General Managers.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1887. 1683

## Shipping.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.  
The Steamship "Yokohama", Capt. ABRAHAM, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 6th September, at 4 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 29, 1887. 1650

## Shipping.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Co.'s Steamship "Hesperia", Capt. GUTHRIE, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 6th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, September 2, 1887. 1657

## Shipping.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.  
(Calling at QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)  
The Steamship "Arlene", Capt. KILAS, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Instant, at 5 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1673

## Shipping.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.  
(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)  
The Co.'s Steamship "Hesperia", Capt. W. VON SCHUBERT, will leave for the above Ports on or about the 8th Instant.  
The Steamer has excellent Passenger Accommodation, is fitted up with Electric Light and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to MELOUERS & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1887. 1694

## Shipping.

FOR SHANGHAI.  
The Co.'s Steamship "Hesperia", Capt. ABRAHAM, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 9th Instant.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
Hongkong, September 1, 1887. 1669

## Shipping.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE.  
(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)  
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "Taheran", will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, 10th September, at Daylight.  
E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, August 27, 1887. 1634

## Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.  
The S/S L.I. American Ship "Governor Robt. B. Richardson", Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick dispatch.  
For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, August 22, 1887. 1599

## Insurance.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.  
THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to Insure against FIRE at Current Rates.  
GILMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

## THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, A.D. 1720.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurance as follows:—  
Marine Department.  
Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.  
Fire Department.  
Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.  
Life Department.  
Policies issued for sums not exceeding 25,000 at reduced rates.  
HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 25, 1873. 496

## QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.  
NORTON & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, July 15, 1887. 1340

## Entertainment.

CHIARINI'S ROYAL ITALIAN  
CIRCUS AND  
MENAGERIE

**Tonight,**  
ALARMING NEWS IN THE MASSES  
OF THE POPULATION.

MAGNIFICENT PROGRAMME!  
ROMAN CAVALCADE, BY ALL THE LADIES  
AND GENTLEMEN.  
THE REAL JERUSALEM DONKEY, from the  
STABLES OF SALAMERKARA.  
MONEY RACE, upon a CIRCUMLOCUTAN  
FUSIL, THE RING OF THE PALM OF  
SUPERBITY.  
THE SINGING ANCESSION, MORE JAPANESE  
WOMEN.

For the First Time in Hongkong,  
THE  
EQUESTRIAN PARADOX EXPOSED.

The Riding Machine newly introduced in  
public to show how to ride, and to ride  
upon the Horse-back while in full gallop  
without the least risk of danger of falling  
or injury of any kind.  
Five Dollars shall be given to any person  
who can go 3 times round the ring erect on  
his feet upon the Horse-back without the  
assistance of the reins.  
This Apparatus can be used by Men,  
Children or Ladies as there is no fear of  
falling.  
This side-splitting scene cannot be sur-  
passed in hilarity, and will provoke a laugh  
in the worst case of hypochondria.

L. MAYA, Secretary.

Bowington, East Point,  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1690

## PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

**THEATRE ROYAL,  
CITY HALL.**  
Under the Patronage of  
His Excellency MAJOR-GENERAL  
CAMERON, C.B., Acting Governor.

SEATS FOR  
**MR. ELANTAGHET LITTLE-  
WOOD'S ENTERTAINMENT,**  
Consisting of a variety of  
POETS, DRAMATISTS AND HUMORISTS,  
can now be obtained from  
Messrs. KELLY & WALSH.

Manager, E. B. WOLFE.  
Hongkong, August 31, 1887. 1693

## To-day's Advertisements:

**FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT).**  
THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-  
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
The Company's Steamer  
"Argyle,"  
Capt. Cook, will be  
despatched for the above  
Port TO-MORROW, the 6th Instant, at  
3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**YEEN FAT HONG,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1696

## UNION LINE.

**FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.**  
The Steamship  
"Serra,"  
Capt. S. Serra, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports TO-MORROW, the 6th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1697

## STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
Steamship  
"Bihar,"  
will leave for the above  
place TO-MORROW (Tuesday), 6th Inst.,  
at 4 p.m.

E. L. WOODIN,  
Acting Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1700

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

**FOR SHANGHAI.**  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, NEW-  
CHANG, HANKOW and Ports on  
the YANGTZE.)  
The Co.'s Steamship  
"Locust,"  
Capt. Sawen, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports TO-MORROW, the 6th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1699

## OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

**FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.**  
The Co.'s Steamship  
"Capt. Gutzwiller," will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports TO-MORROW, the 6th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1706

## STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
Steamship  
"Zambesi,"  
will leave for the above  
places on TUESDAY, the 13th Instant, at  
5 p.m.

E. L. WOODIN,  
Acting Superintendent.  
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1704

## To-day's Advertisements.

**THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

WANTED Two or THREE ROOMS in  
a Central position as OFFICES for  
the above Company.

HAROLD DOWSON,  
Agent,  
4, CLUB STREET.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1701

## NOTICE.

MR. C. P. CHATER INVITES the  
OWNERS and the ATTORNEYS  
of absent Owners of Marine Lots  
West of the Swimming Bath TO-MEET  
HIM in the City Hall, on SATURDAY,  
the 17th Instant, at 2.30 p.m., for the  
purpose of considering and discussing the  
Project for the Reclamation of the Fore-  
shore extending from the Gas Works to the  
Swimming Bath, submitted by him to the  
Government in his letter to the Acting  
Colonial Secretary of the 13th July, 1887,  
and approved of by the Government with  
certain conditions and limitations as set  
forth in the Acting Colonial Secretary's  
letter to Mr. CHATER of the 11th August  
last.

These Letters were published in the local  
papers on Friday and Saturday, the 12th  
and 13th August, and copies of them and  
of this invitation have been posted to every  
Marine Lot Holder residing in the Colony,  
and to the Agents or Attorneys of every  
absent Marine Lot Holder whose name and  
address could be ascertained.

The Plan, dated 6th August last, referred  
to in the Acting Colonial Secretary's letter  
is, from this date, on exhibition in the  
room of the Chamber of Commerce at the  
City Hall, and is open to the inspection of  
all persons interested.

It shows the minimum quantity of re-  
claimed land to which each Marine Lot  
Holder will be entitled under the scheme.  
Mr. C. P. CHATER will be glad to receive  
on or before SATURDAY, the 10th Instant,  
communications in writing from all persons  
interested, embodying—

(a) Objections to the scheme in whole or  
part.  
(b) Suggestions for its improvement or  
amendment in any direction.  
(c) Pointing out any matters in con-  
nection therewith that stand in need of  
explanation or development.

Mr. CHATER invites these communications  
that, in his capacity as intermediary be-  
tween the Government and the Lot Holders,  
and enable him to be fit to serve both  
parties, he may have an opportunity before  
the meeting on the 17th September, of sub-  
mitting any proposed alterations or modi-  
fications to the Government, and be in a  
better position at the meeting to answer  
questions and discuss the amendments that  
may be proposed.

Owners of Marine Lots and Attorneys or  
Agents of Owners who have not received the  
Circular letter and copy of the corres-  
pondence above referred to are earnestly  
requested to apply at once to Mr. C. P.  
CHATER, at the Chamber of Commerce, for  
copies of the Circular letter and copy of the  
correspondence, which copies will be for-  
warded without delay.

Hongkong, 3rd September, 1887. 1702

**WEEK END.** The night in this case  
might be perfect for seeing both  
near and far, but the Eyes get quickly tired  
when reading or writing and are often very  
much affected by a strong light. These  
glasses are CURED by using Mr. LAZARUS'  
SPECTACLES.

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## To-day's Advertisements.

**CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

NOTICE.  
THE GENERAL-DIVIDEND declared for  
the Year ended April 30th last, at the  
Rate of \$5 per Share of \$25, is NOW  
PAYABLE.

SHAREHOLDERS are requested to apply at  
the Company's Office for WARRANTS.  
A. S. GARFITT,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1708

## UNION LINE.

**NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.**  
FROM HAMBURG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship "Serra," Captain S.  
Troye, having arrived from the  
above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby  
requested to send in their Bills of Lading to  
the Undersigned for countersignature, and  
to take immediate delivery of their Goods  
from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
Steamer will be at once landed and stored  
at Consignees' risk and expense, and no  
Fire Insurance will be effected.

All Claims against the Steamer must be  
presented to the Freight-agent on or before  
the 12th Instant, or they will not be re-  
cognised.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, September 5, 1887. 1698

**Not responsible for Depts.**  
Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor  
Owners will be Responsible for  
any Debt contracted by the Officers or  
Crew of the following Vessels, during  
their stay in Hongkong Harbour—

ALLIES ROWE, Hawaiian brig, Captain J.  
Phillips. —Wolter & Co.  
ARBOAT, British steamer, Captain Alex.  
Cook. —Yuen Fat Hong.

CLAN MACKENZIE, British ship, Capt. G.  
R. Harris. —Order.

GALLEY OF LORNE, Brit. steamer, Capt.  
P. Pothory. —Russell & Co.

TARABADA, British steamer, Capt. John  
McArthur. —Gibb, Livingston & Co.

**SHIPPING.**  
ARRIVALS.

September 4, 1887:—  
"Moyne," British steamer, 1,735, J. S.  
Hogg, Liverpool July 26, Penang August  
27, and Singapore 30, General. —ARNOLD,  
KARBERG & Co.

September 5:—  
"Baharra," British steamer, 1,711, C. R.  
Edwards, London August 5, Bombay 20,  
and Singapore 31, Mail and General. —  
P. & O. S. N. Co.

"Serra," Norwegian steamer, 1,168, Troye,  
Hamburg July 8, and Singapore August 28,  
General. —RUSSELL & Co.

"Therian," British steamer, 2,600, J. H.  
Smythor, Yokohama August 23, Mail and  
General. —P. & O. S. N. Co.

"Cardanish," British steamer, 1,623,  
Clark, Foochow September 3, Tea and  
General. —ADAMS, BELL & Co.

"Ramsdell," British 4-masted ship, 1,827,  
Whyte, Nagasaki August 25, Ballast.  
—Wolter & Co.

"Galley of Lorne," British steamer, 1,380,  
Pothory, Saigon September 1, Rice and  
General. —RUSSELL & Co.

**DEPARTURES.**  
September 4:—  
"Triumph," for Tonkin.  
"Argyle," for Saigon.  
"Albany," for Saigon.  
"Dante," for Hongkong.

September 5:—  
"Glaciosa," for Bangkok.  
"Asperia," for Yokohama and Kobe.  
"Repalia," for Amoy and Manila.  
"Moyne," for Shanghai and Yokohama.  
"Diamond," for Amoy and Manila.  
"Deiweiser," for Amoy.  
"Deiweiser," for Swatow.

CLERICAL.  
Haiphong, for Coast Ports.  
Alice D. Cooper, for New York.

PASSENGIERS.  
Arrivals.  
For "Moyne," from Liverpool, &c., Mrs.  
Hogg, Miss Woodward, and 340 Chinese.  
For "Baharra," from Hongkong: from Lon-

don, Captain Keppel, R.N., Commander  
Giffard, R.N., Messrs. Kinnigan and G.  
White, from Bombay, 250, 2nd Inst., and  
Mr. D. J. Neal, from Penang, Mr. Goh  
Kong Choo, and 13 Chinese; from Singa-  
pore, 26 Chinese; For Shanghai: from  
London, Mr. C. Holliday; from Singapore,  
Messrs. Rubenstein and E. F. Heath; For  
Yokohama: from London, Mr. F. Toni;  
from Colombo, Lady Hainington; from Sin-  
gapore, Mr. and Mrs. Wynon and Major J.  
W. Buxton.

For "Therian," from Yokohama: for Hong-  
kong, Mr. and Mrs. Mican, infant and 2  
servants, Lieut. W. G. Metcalfe, Mr. F. L.  
Spray, R.N., Messrs. Housman, David,  
Mrs. S. M. Lee, Q. J. Ping, J. Doughty, T.  
O'Keefe, M. Carter, J. Murphy, E. Monatt  
and P. Macdon, 33 Distressed Seamen,  
and 11 Chinese; for Venice, Mr. and Mrs.  
Howard; for Melbourne, Mrs. Yamanaka,  
and Mr. Kobayashi; for London, Mr. Geo.  
hagan, Capt. and Mrs. Mudie, infant and  
nurse, and Mr. E. A. Martin.

For "Galley of Lorne" from Saigon, 65 Chi-  
nese.

DEPARTURES.  
For "Dante," for Haiphong, Mrs. Padel,  
Mr. Donce (Resident Haiphong), Captain  
Masotto, Mr. Bishop Colomer, 2 Japanese  
women, and 21 Chinese; for  
"Triumph," for Tonkin, 40 Chinese.  
For "Argyle," for Saigon, 12 Chinese.  
For "Albany," for Saigon, 20 Chinese.  
For "Dante," for Bangkok, 20 Chinese,  
and 98 Chinese.

For "Glaciosa," for Shanghai, Miss Hart,  
and Mr. Primrose.  
For "Dante," for Amoy, 50 Chinese.  
For "Repalia," for Amoy, 137 Chinese.  
For "Deiweiser," for Swatow, 300 Chinese.  
For "Japer," for Singapore, &c., Mr. Bara's,  
children and nurse.

TO DEPART.  
For "Haiphong," for Coast Ports, 2 Euro-  
peans, and 148 Chinese.

**SHIPPING REPORTS.**  
The British steamer "Moyne" reports:  
Arrived Penang 24th August, and left 27th.  
Arrived Singapore 28th, and left 30th Aug.  
Had fine weather with light N.E. winds  
till 5th September this morning, then Nor-  
therly wind with thick weather, very heavy  
rain.

The British steamer "Galley of Lorne" re-  
ports: From Cape St. James to Panama,  
light easterly winds and fine weather. From  
Panama to this port fresh N.E. winds, and  
high sea, latter part squally.

**POST-OFFICE NOTICES.**  
MAILS will close:—  
For SWATOW, AMOY AND FOOCHEW.  
For Haiphong, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday,  
the 6th inst.

For BANGKOK.—  
For "Argyle," at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday,  
the 6th inst.

For SHANGHAI.—  
For "Baharra," at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the  
6th inst.

For KOBE & YOKOHAMA.—  
For "Serra," at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the  
6th inst.

For SINGAPORE & LONDON.—  
For "Cardanish," at 3.30 p.m., on Tues-  
day, the 6th inst.

For KOBE & YOKOHAMA.—  
For "Yorkshire," at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday,  
the 6th Sept.

For SINGAPORE.—  
For "Lorne," at 4.30 p.m., on Wednesday,  
the 7th inst.

For SANDAKAN.—  
For British-registered "Paragon," at 4 p.m.,  
on Thursday, the 8th inst.

For NAGASAKI & YOKOHAMA.—  
For "Therian," at 5 p.m., on Friday, the  
9th September.

For STRAITS, COLOMBO & BOMBAY.  
For "Imperator," at 11.30 a.m., on Satur-  
day, the 10th inst.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.—  
The United States Mail Packet "Oceanic"  
will be despatched on SATURDAY, the  
10th Instant, with Mails for Japan,  
San Francisco, the United States,  
Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., and will  
be cleared for sea on Friday, the 9th In-  
stant.

2.15 p.m. Registry cases.  
2.30 p.m. Post-Office closes, but Corre-  
spondence may be posted on board the  
Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra.  
Postage paid till the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.—  
The French Contract Packet "Djemah"  
will be despatched on THURSDAY,  
the 15th Instant, with Mails to the  
United Kingdom, Europe, and places be-  
yond, via Suez, to Saigon, Straits  
Settlements, Batavia, Borneo, Ceylon,  
India (via Madras), the Australian  
Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape,  
Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.  
The usual hours will be observed in closing  
the Mails, &c.

**SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.**  
SEPTEMBER 5, 1887.

Prices.  
No. of  
Shares.  
Value.  
Last  
up.  
Position per Last Report.  
Rever.  
Balance—Favour.  
Last Dividend.  
Closing Quotations.  
Cash.

## MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

**Shipping.**  
Noah.—Haiphong leaves for Coast Ports.  
2 p.m.—Argyle leaves for Bangkok.  
4 p.m.—Yorkshire leaves for Kobe, &c.  
4 p.m.—Serra leaves for Yokohama, &c.  
Bellerophon leaves for London.

**Amusements.**  
9 p.m.—Chiaroni's Circus and Menagerie  
at East Bowington.

**Miscellaneous.**  
Goodbye Dinner—undelivered after  
this date subject to rent.

**General Memoranda.**  
WEDNESDAY, September 7.  
4 p.m.—Chiaroni's Circus and Menagerie  
at East Bowington.

Goods per Steamer "Baghatten" unclaimed  
after Noon subject to rent.  
Goods per "Hesperia" undelivered after  
this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, September 9.  
Goods per Port Augusta undelivered after  
this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, September 12.  
11 a.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of  
The China and Manila Steamship Co.,  
Ltd. at the General Managers' office.  
Goods per Serra undelivered after this  
date subject to rent.

**A. S. WATSON & CO.,  
LIMITED.**

**OUR NEW SEASONS'  
FLOWER & VEGETABLE  
SEEDS.**

ARE expected by an early steamer,  
and the FIRST SHIPMENT will be  
OPENED out for Coast Port Orders as  
sooner weather permits. Complete Parcels  
are delivered freight paid to any port.

CATALOGUES are now ready and may  
be obtained on application.

**CELERY AND CYCLOMEN SEEDS.**  
require for early sowing, may  
be had at once.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.  
**THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.**  
Hongkong, August 27, 1887. 1692

**BIRTH.**  
On the 5th Instant, the Wife of J. Y. V.  
Vernon, of a Son.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 7.35 a.m.

**The China Mail.**  
HONGKONG, MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1887.

**TELEGRAMS.**  
(SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL.")  
(Via Southern Line.)

**MR. DILLON DEFLECTS.**  
LONDON, 2nd Sept.  
A lively discussion has taken place in the  
House of Lords relating to a proclaimed  
meeting announced to be held on Sunday  
next



